

2015–16 Texas Educator Certification Program Tests with Test Codes

The Texas Education Agency accepts certification tests from three organizations. The chart below is arranged by vendor and test name. It includes the test code and whether or not it is appropriate for [Pre-Admission Content Test \(PACT\)](#) candidates or candidates from charter schools. Finally, it indicates whether currently certified Texas educators can [certify by examination](#) using the test.

[Educational Testing Service \(ETS\)](#) administers most content and pedagogy/professional responsibilities tests.

Many of the language tests are offered by the [American Council on the Teaching of Foreign Languages \(ACTFL\)](#).

Family and consumer sciences tests are offered by the [American Association of Family and Consumer Sciences \(AAFCS\)](#).

Educational Testing Service (ETS) Tests

| TEXES Tests | Test Code | PACT? | Charter? | Cert By Exam? |
|--|-----------|-------|----------|---------------|
| Agricultural Science and Technology 6-12 | 172 | Yes | Yes | Yes |
| Agriculture, Food, and Natural Resources 6-12 | 272 | Yes | Yes | Yes |
| American Sign Language (ASL) | 184 | Yes | Yes | Yes |
| Art EC-12 | 178 | Yes | Yes | Yes |
| Bilingual Education Supplemental | 164 | Yes | Yes | Yes |
| Bilingual Target Language Proficiency Test (BTLPT) – Spanish | 190 | Yes | Yes | Yes |
| Braille | 183 | No | No | No |
| Business and Finance 6-12 | 276 | Yes | Yes | Yes |
| Business Education 6-12 | 176 | Yes | Yes | Yes |
| Chemistry 7-12 | 240 | Yes | Yes | Yes |
| Computer Science 8-12 | 141 | Yes | Yes | Yes |
| Core Subjects 4-8 | 211 | Yes | Yes | Yes |
| Core Subjects 4-8 – English Language Arts and Reading (ELAR) 4-8 | 806 | Yes | Yes | Yes |
| Core Subjects 4-8 – Mathematics 4-8 | 807 | Yes | Yes | Yes |
| Core Subjects 4-8 – Social Studies 4-8 | 808 | Yes | Yes | Yes |
| Core Subjects 4-8 – Science 4-8 | 809 | Yes | Yes | Yes |

Please contact testing company for administration details. This document is for guidance only. Details may change as policy, rule, and statute change. Version: September 2015.

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| Core Subjects EC-6 | 291 | Yes | Yes | Yes |
| Core Subjects EC-6 – English Language Arts and Reading (ELAR) & Science of Teaching Reading (STR) EC-6 | 801 | Yes | Yes | Yes |
| Core Subjects EC-6 – Mathematics EC-6 | 802 | Yes | Yes | Yes |
| Core Subjects EC-6 – Social Studies EC-6 | 803 | Yes | Yes | Yes |
| Core Subjects EC-6 – Science EC-6 | 804 | Yes | Yes | Yes |
| Core Subjects EC-6 – Fine Arts, Health, and Physical Education EC-6 | 805 | Yes | Yes | Yes |
| Dance 8-12 | 179 | Yes | Yes | Yes |
| Deaf and Hard-of-Hearing EC-12 | 181 | Yes | Yes | Yes |
| Educational Diagnostician EC-12 | 153 | No | No | No |
| English as a Second Language Supplemental | 154 | Yes | Yes | Yes |
| English Language Arts and Reading 4-8 | 117 | Yes | Yes | Yes |
| English Language Arts and Reading 7-12 | 231 | Yes | Yes | Yes |
| English Language Arts and Reading/Social Studies 4-8 | 113 | Yes | Yes | Yes |
| Gifted and Talented Supplemental | 162 | Yes | Yes | Yes |
| Health EC-12 | 157 | Yes | Yes | Yes |
| Health Science 6-12 | 273 | No | No | No |
| Health Science Technology Education 8-12 | 173 | No | No | No |
| History 7-12 | 233 | Yes | Yes | Yes |
| Journalism 7-12 | 256 | Yes | Yes | Yes |

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| Languages Other Than English (LOTE) – French EC-12 | 610 | Yes | Yes | Yes |
| Languages Other Than English (LOTE) – German EC-12 | 611 | Yes | Yes | Yes |
| Languages Other Than English (LOTE) – Latin EC-12 | 612 | Yes | Yes | Yes |
| Languages Other Than English (LOTE) – Spanish EC-12 | 613 | Yes | Yes | Yes |
| Life Science 7-12 | 238 | Yes | Yes | Yes |
| Marketing 6-12 | 275 | No | No | No |
| Marketing Education 8-12 | 175 | No | No | No |
| Mathematics 4-8 | 115 | Yes | Yes | Yes |
| Mathematics 7-12 | 235 | Yes | Yes | Yes |
| Mathematics/Physical Science/Engineering 6-12 | 274 | Yes | Yes | Yes |
| Mathematics/Science 4-8 | 114 | Yes | Yes | Yes |
| Music EC-12 | 177 | Yes | Yes | Yes |
| Pedagogy and Professional Responsibilities EC-12 | 160 | No | No | No |
| Pedagogy and Professional Responsibilities for Trade and Industrial Education 6-12 | 270 | No | No | No |
| Physical Education EC-12 | 158 | Yes | Yes | Yes |
| Physical Science 6-12 | 237 | Yes | Yes | Yes |
| Physics/Mathematics 7-12 | 243 | Yes | Yes | Yes |
| Principal | 068 | No | No | No |
| Reading Specialist EC-12 | 151 | No | No | No |
| School Counselor EC-12 | 152 | No | No | No |
| School Librarian EC-12 | 150 | No | No | No |

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| Science 4-8 | 116 | Yes | Yes | Yes |
| Science 7-12 | 236 | Yes | Yes | Yes |
| Social Studies 4-8 | 118 | Yes | Yes | Yes |
| Social Studies 7-12 | 232 | Yes | Yes | Yes |
| Special Education EC-12 | 161 | Yes | Yes | Yes |
| Special Education Supplemental | 163 | Yes | Yes | Yes |
| Speech 7-12 | 129 | Yes | Yes | Yes |
| Superintendent | 195 | No | No | No |
| Technology Applications 8-12 | 139 | Yes | Yes | Yes |
| Technology Applications EC-12 | 142 | Yes | Yes | Yes |
| Technology Education 6-12 | 171 | Yes | Yes | Yes |
| Theatre EC-12 | 180 | Yes | Yes | Yes |
| Visually Impaired | 182 | No | No | No |
| TEExMaT Test Name | Test Code | PACT? | Charter? | Cert By Exam? |
| Master Reading Teacher EC-12 | 085 | No | No | No |
| Master Mathematics Teacher EC-4 | 087 | No | No | No |
| Master Mathematics Teacher 4-8 | 088 | No | No | No |
| Master Mathematics Teacher 8-12 | 089 | No | No | No |
| Master Science Teacher EC-4 | 090 | No | No | No |
| Master Science Teacher 4-8 | 091 | No | No | No |
| Master Science Teacher 8-12 | 092 | No | No | No |
| Master Technology Teacher EC-12 | 086 | No | No | No |

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| TASC Test Name | Test Code | PACT? | Charter? | Cert By Exam? |
| Texas Assessment of Sign Communication | 072 | Yes | Yes | Yes |
| TASC-ASL Test Name | Test Code | PACT? | Charter? | Cert By Exam? |
| Texas Assessment of Sign Communication – American Sign Language | 073 | Yes | Yes | Yes |

American Council on the Teaching of Foreign Languages (ACTFL) Tests with Test Codes

| ACTFL Test Name | Test Code | PACT? | Charter? | Cert By Exam? |
|---|------------------|--------------|-----------------|----------------------|
| Languages Other than English Arabic Oral Proficiency | 605 | Yes | Yes | Yes |
| Languages Other than English Arabic Writing Proficiency | 600 | Yes | Yes | Yes |
| Languages Other than English Mandarin Chinese Oral Proficiency | 606 | Yes | Yes | Yes |
| Languages Other than English Mandarin Chinese Writing Proficiency | 601 | Yes | Yes | Yes |
| Languages Other than English Hindi Oral Proficiency | 622 | Yes | Yes | Yes |
| Languages Other than English Hindi Writing Proficiency | 623 | Yes | Yes | Yes |
| Languages Other than English Italian Oral Proficiency | 624 | Yes | Yes | Yes |
| Languages Other than English Italian Writing Proficiency | 625 | Yes | Yes | Yes |
| Languages Other than English Japanese Oral Proficiency | 607 | Yes | Yes | Yes |
| Languages Other than English Japanese Writing Proficiency | 602 | Yes | Yes | Yes |
| Languages Other than English Russian Oral Proficiency | 608 | Yes | Yes | Yes |
| Languages Other than English Russian Writing Proficiency | 603 | Yes | Yes | Yes |
| Languages Other than English Turkish Oral Proficiency | 626 | Yes | Yes | Yes |
| Languages Other than English Turkish Writing Proficiency | 627 | Yes | Yes | Yes |

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| Languages Other than English Vietnamese Oral Proficiency | 609 | Yes | Yes | Yes |
| Languages Other than English Vietnamese Writing Proficiency | 604 | Yes | Yes | Yes |
| Bilingual Arabic Oral Proficiency | 614 | Yes | Yes | Yes |
| Bilingual Arabic Writing Proficiency | 615 | Yes | Yes | Yes |
| Bilingual Mandarin Chinese Oral Proficiency | 618 | Yes | Yes | Yes |
| Bilingual Mandarin Chinese Writing Proficiency | 619 | Yes | Yes | Yes |
| Bilingual Japanese Oral Proficiency | 616 | Yes | Yes | Yes |
| Bilingual Japanese Writing Proficiency | 617 | Yes | Yes | Yes |
| Bilingual Vietnamese Oral Proficiency | 620 | Yes | Yes | Yes |
| Bilingual Vietnamese Writing Proficiency | 621 | Yes | Yes | Yes |

American Association of Family and Consumer Sciences (AAFCS)

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| AAFCS Test Name | Test Code | PACT? | Charter? | Cert By Exam? |
|--|------------------|--------------|-----------------|----------------------|
| Family & Consumer Sciences Composite | 200 | Yes | Yes | Yes |
| FCS – Hospitality, Nutrition, & Food Science | 201 | Yes | Yes | Yes |
| FCS – Human Development & Family Studies | 202 | Yes | Yes | Yes |